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PLANNED PRESCRIBED BURNS ON HOLD SANTA FE NATIONAL FOREST

Española Ranger District

Santa Fe Watershed Burn – Postponed today due to weather –maybe Tuesday or Wednesday if weather conditions are favorable

- 1,800 acre pile-burn in the area above Nichols and McClure reservoirs, east of the City of Santa Fe.

Pecos/Las Vegas Ranger District

La Cueva Pile Burn – Cancelled for week of 1/30/06 due to weather

- 100 acre pile-burn located in the La Cueva Drainage, approximately 4 miles west of the Town of Pecos New Mexico off of Forest Service Road 375.

Jemez Ranger District

Lion Pile Burn – Cancelled for week of 1/30/06 due to weather

- 135 acre pile-burn located a top of Virgin Mesa off of Forest Service Road 607.

Redondo Pile Burn – Cancelled for week of 1/30/06 due to weather

- 20 acre pile-burn located near Redondo Campground off of Highway 4. Fire mangers will only ignite if snow is on the ground.

Cuba Ranger District

O'Neil Prescribed Burn -- Postponed due to weather maybe later in week of 1/30/06

- 367-acres pile burning one-mile south of the Chaparral Girl Scout Camp, 7 miles northwest of Jemez Springs. This area has snow on the ground.

